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                Paper-plastic laminate sheeting

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## PAPER-PLASTIC LAMINATE SHEETING

### CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is a continuation of application 10/167,268 filed  
5 June 10, 2002, which is a division of application no. 09/781,181 filed  
February 12, 2001, which is a continuation of application no. 09/258,766  
filed February 26, 1999, now US patent 6,235,386, which is a continuation of  
application no. 08/209,405 filed March 14, 1994, now US patent 5,962,099,  
which is a continuation of application 08/057,963 filed May 4, 1993, now  
10 abandoned, which is a division of application 07/818,544 filed January 9,  
1992, now US patent 5,244,702.

### BACKGROUND OF INVENTION

#### 1. Field of Invention

15 This invention relates to paper-plastic and paper-plastic-paper  
laminates in the form of sheeting which is capable of being converted into a  
self-closing package or other material such as envelopes, bags and other  
dilatable container products which initially are in a flat state and are normally  
made of paper. In these laminates, a paper facing sheet is cold-laminated to  
20 an oriented film of synthetic plastic material, or two paper sheets are cold  
laminated to the film.

#### 2. Status of Prior Art

The sheeting traditionally used in making envelopes, grocery bags and  
25 other types of dilatable container products which initially are in a flat state is  
paper. Paper is a semi-synthetic material made by chemically processing  
cellulose fibers.

Apart from its low cost, an important advantage of paper is that it can  
be converted into envelopes and other types of dilatable container products